WASHINGTON METROPOLITAN AREA TRANSIT COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, DC

ORDER NO. 8944

IN	THE	MATTER	OF:
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Served September 2, 2005

Application of PCR INC., Trading as) Case No. AP-2005-128
AMERICARE METRO TRANSPORT, for a)
Certificate of Authority --)
Irregular Route Operations)

By application accepted for filing August 9, 2005, PCR Inc., a District of Columbia corporation trading as Americane Metro Transport, seeks a certificate of authority for irregular route operations in vehicles with a seating capacity of less than 16 persons only, including the driver.

Applicant was granted operating authority last year, but the issuance of a certificate of authority was expressly made contingent on applicant filing additional documents. Applicant failed to file the necessary documents in a timely manner, thereby voiding the Commission's approval. 2

Applicant proposes commencing operations with one van. Applicant's proposed tariff contains rates for transportation under the District of Columbia Medicaid program.

This proceeding is hereby initiated to determine whether applicant is fit and whether the proposed transportation is consistent with the public interest.

THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED:

- 1. That applicant shall publish once in a newspaper of general circulation in the Metropolitan District, no later than September 16, 2005, notice in the form prescribed by the staff of the Commission.
- 2. That applicant shall file with the Commission, no later than September 30, 2005, an affidavit that notice has been published as required in the preceding paragraph.

¹ <u>See In re PCR Inc., Trading as Americare Metro Transport</u>, No. AP-04-160, Order No. 8472 (Dec. 17, 2004) (conditionally granting Certificate No. 1021).

² <u>See</u> Order No. 8472 (grant of authority void upon applicant's failure to timely satisfy conditions of issuance); Commission Regulation No. 66 (failure to comply with conditions of grant within 180 days voids approval).

3. That the deadline for filing protests, comments, applications for intervention, and requests for formal hearing, is September 30, 2005, and that copies must be served on applicant's president and CEO, Sehaye Meskel, 5904 Queens Chapel Road, Hyattsville, MD 20782.

FOR THE COMMISSION:

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Executive Director